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APPLICANT(S):

Ben-Sasson et al.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action mailed October 30, 2006 in the above-identified application. With the extension, this Response is due on or before April 30, 2007. A check in the amount of \$510.00, in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required in connection with the papers transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, (Reference No. 24348-501 NATL). A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully'submitted,

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